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**Subject:** Re: [External] Acp mitigation fund

We need to get this back to reporter. Jamal, can you please do?

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**From:** McKinney, William C  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 27, 2018 2:34:44 PM  
**To:** Weiner, Sadie; Cole, Samantha; Porter, Ford C; Talley, Noelle S; Holl, Eric J; Little, Jamal; Barker, Paul E; White, Julia W  
**Cc:** Eudy, Ken  
**Subject:** Re: [External] Acp mitigation fund

I don't entirely understand how the fund would be used for inspection or compliance. Compliance would be related to DEQ's enforcement authority as it relates to the ACP's permits.

I think your statement is a fair one, Sadie.

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**From:** Weiner, Sadie  
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**To:** McKinney, William C; Cole, Samantha; Porter, Ford C; Talley, Noelle S; Holl, Eric J; Little, Jamal; Barker, Paul E; White, Julia W  
**Cc:** Eudy, Ken  
**Subject:** Re: [External] Acp mitigation fund

Does that mean it can be used for inspection and compliance? Would this be a correct answer?

The fund was negotiated separate from the issuance of the permit, which was done by DEQ after thorough review and five requests for additional information. The fund is intended to be used for mitigation, renewable energy and rural development.

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**From:** McKinney, William C  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 27, 2018 11:49:54 AM  
**To:** Cole, Samantha; Weiner, Sadie; Porter, Ford C; Talley, Noelle S; Holl, Eric J; Little, Jamal; Barker, Paul E; White, Julia W  
**Cc:** Eudy, Ken  
**Subject:** Re: [External] Acp mitigation fund

CC Ken

The mitigation fund was negotiated apart from the certification process. Additional mitigation therefore would not be foreclosed by the agreement, and the same would be true for inspection and compliance after the asset is placed into service.

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**From:** Cole, Samantha  
**Sent:** Saturday, January 27, 2018 10:10:27 AM  
**To:** Weiner, Sadie; Porter, Ford C; Talley, Noelle S; Holl, Eric J; Little, Jamal; Barker, Paul E; McKinney, William C; White, Julia W  
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From: Zullo, Robert [<mailto:RZullo@timesdispatch.com>]  
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Hi. Sorry to bother you on Saturday , but I'm a reporter with the Richmond Times-Dispatch who has been covering the pipeline permitting and I had a few questions about the mitigation MOU.  
-was this agreement tied in any way to the 401 approval issued on the same day it was announced ? In other words, did the Cooper administration agree to issue the 401 in exchange for ACP agreeing to pay the money ?  
- How was the amount determined ?  
- will of the money go toward the cost of inspections/ ensuring compliance with environmental permits during and after pipeline construction?

Thanks for your time

Sent from my iPhone

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